Rumors of the Failure of Many Large Commercial Houses.

Confirmatory Cable Dispatches Received in New York Cause Much Apprehension in that City.

The Business Activity of the United States Great-The Meeting of Congress and President's Message Renew Confidence-A Long Declaration of Principles Adopted by the Farmers' Alliance.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

SIGNAL OFFICE, WICHITA, Kan., De 6.—The highest temperature was 41°, the lowest 37° and the mean 39°, with gentle, northeast wind, warm, cloudy weather, with .01 inch of rain and a dens fog at night; high barometer.

Last year, on December 6, the highest temperature was 560, the lowest 240, and the mean 40°

FRED L. JOHNSON, Observer. WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6, 8 p. m.-Forecast until 8 p. m Saturday

For Kansas-Fair, warmer, southerly

## PANIC AT BUENOS AYRES.

Many Large Business Failures Reported in the South American City-

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—In downtown circles today it was rumored that a panic in money has broken out at Buenos Avres. causing great excitement there and many large failures. It is said that many large business houses have received cablegrams announcing the fact and causing great

## MANY REFORMS WANTED.

A Long Declaration of Principles Enunci ated by the Farmers' Alliance.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 6.—The National Farmers' alliance has adopted a long series of resolutions favoring woman's suffrage, favoring the reservation of public lands for actual settlers and against the acquisition of lands in the states and territories by aliens; for the rigid enforcement of the haw against railroad corporations that were not complying with their contracts as to the disposition of lands; calling for the free coinage of gold and silver and an amendment to the law which permitted loans to banks on bonded security of money at 1 per cent while the farmer was obliged to pay 8 and 10 per cent; favoring the payment of the public debt as rapidly Pectoral. as possible, opposing bonds as the basis for loans and reiterating the argument against the national banking system and in favor of the greenback doctrine. Taxes on real estate mortgages and a graded income tax were demanded. Economy in the management of all departments of the government was called for and a special declaration was launched against any proposition looking to the increase of government employes salaries. The liquor traffic was opposed in all its forms. The Hennepin canal project was endorsed, as was also that of a deep harbor on the guif coast. Another resolution was passed reccommending congress to take some action to compel the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads to pay their debts and objecting to any further extension of time. The Australian system extension of time. The Australian system of voting was enthusiastically endorsed. The resolution on the tariff was as fol-

"Resolved, That we favor such revision may rest as lightly as possible upon pro-ductive labor, and that its burdens may be imposed upon the luxuries and removed from the necessities of life, and in a man ner which will prevent continued accumu-lation of the United States treasury sur

The foregoing resolutions were then capped by one declaring that the bers of the convention would support no candidate who did not subscribe to the principles enumerated therein.

COMPLETING THE FEDERATION.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 6.—This morning Powderly, Wright and Beaumont, representing the Knights of Labor, met the demands committee of the Farmers and Laborers' union and the basis of federation between the farmers and the knights was agreed upon. Then it was agreed that the farmers should appoint a legislative committee of two to act in conjunction with the legislative committee of the knights at Washington to secure work in accordance with the views of both bodies. A common platform was agreed upon upon land, money and transportation re-form and an understanding arrived at by which each organization will actively assist the other in every way possible. The executive officers of the two organizations will form a central council to consult from time to time upon all matters of joint in-

## AS GOOD OR PETTER.

The Large Volume of Money Actively Employed-Trade About the Same.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: No disturbance seems to have appeared or resulted from the Lynn and Boston fires as yet, and the free offering of bonds to the treasury makes the monetary prospect clearer. In all other respects the events of the past week have but added to the prevailing confidence in the future of business, and the operating of congress with the annual message and reports have had decidedly an encouraging influence.

The volume of money in circulation outside the treasury now, \$1,417,500,000, is about \$11,000,000 larger than a year ago, but far more actively em-ployed. In the interior, however, there are some signs of abating demand and money is plenty at Chicago with rates unchanged, comparatively easy at St. Paul, in good supply at New Orleans, fairly active at Milwaukee, the demand being moderate at 7 per cent: in good de-mand at 7 and 8 at Detroit and 5 to 7 at Fittsburg; in brisk demand at Boston; still tight at Philadelphia with 6 per cent

stiff. The treasury has taken in during week \$1,300,010 more than it has disbursed. Reports of business indicate some falling off at the west. The same difficulty affects the clothing trade at Cleveland and is the cause of depression in the coal trade, but nearly all reports indicate that busi-ness is satisfactory. Pittsburg notes im-proved demand and higher prices in iron and in flint glass, window being un-changed.

changed.

The situation in the great industries is especially significant. In spite of the unprecedented supply of iron there seems to be actual scarcity at Philadelphia and some sales of No. 1 at \$19 for, 1800 delivery are quoted here. Buyers hesitate and sales are not large, but there is a strong undertone, and at Pittsburg an adquace of 15 cents to \$1 per ton. Bar iron is more irregular, and while rails are stiffly quoted

at \$35. No sales appear, but an offer is reported by an eastern mill at \$34.

Dealers in wooi are also more confident, and at Boston improved prices were realized for combing and delain.

The boot and shoe manufacture continues remarkably prosperons. Another large branch of industry which has been doing exceptionally well is the building trane, and well sustained markets for all materials, especially for lumber and glass.

The speculative market have been strong. The general tendencies of prices are still upward, the rise since November 30 having averaged four-tenths of 1 per

(3) having averaged four-tenths of 1 per cent for all commodities. In the stock market there was serious depression at the end of last week and on Monday, but since that time there has been some recovery with considerable foreign buying. At the lowest, prices were nearly \$2 per share below those of November 27, but about half of the loss has been recovered and the average is still nearly to per share higher than a year ago. The earnings of the railroads continue remarkable large for November, exceeding those of last year by nearly 13 per cent.

Much of the past week's depression wallue to fears regarding the withdrawal o

government deposits from banks, but it is now plain that no disturbance can result from the gradual measures adopted. The business failures number 316 as compared with a total of 249 last week. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 305.

RESULTED IN A DRAW.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 6 - The fifteen-round glove fight for a purse of \$1,000, winner to take all, between Mike Daly, of Bangor, and Jack McAuliffe, of New York, light weights, at the rooms of the Cribb club ast night resulted in a draw. McAuliffe was the heavier, weighing 144 to Daly's 139 pounds. Con McAuliffe and Bob Drew econded the New Yorker, while Bill Daly and Danny Gill seconded Daly. The fight was announced to begin at 8:50, but there was a long wrangle over the articles of agreement and it was after 11 o'clock

when the men entered the ring.
From the first McAuliffe landed his
blows when and where he pleased, and
Daly acted on the defensive most of the

In the second round Daly got in a terrific righthander on McAuliffe's wind that nearly took him off his feet, but McAuliffe replied with a blow that split Daly's left

In the third round McAnliffe worked Daly into his own corner and dealt him hot ones, first with his left then with his right, landing on his law.
In the fourth and litth rounds Daly was caught off his guard and received severe

blows on the jaw.
In the sixth McAuliffe feinted with his right, then, swinging suddenly put in his left with terrific force on Daly's chin, nearly lifting him off his feet.

In the seventh there was some close infighting, but mostly to McAuliffe's ad-

vantage.

In the eighth, Daly got in his second teiling blow, landing on McAuliffe's hose, but drawing no blood.

In the ninth, McAuliffe caught Daly on the jaw with his right, staggering him, but Daly recovered and got in a swinging cut on McAuliffe's mouth that swelled his upper lip.
In the next four rounds McAulifte did
In the next four rounds blows were

all the leading, and Daly's blows were wild. McAuliffe countered all his blows and showered blow upon blow upon him, in several instances nearly knocking him over the ropes. In the fourteenth and fifteenth rounds Daiy appeared somewhat groggy, but kept gamely at work, and, when time was called, the referee declared the battle a

The severest cases of asthma are imme diately relieved by the use of Ayer's Cherry

ATTEMPT TO DEFEAT JUSTICE.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 6.-Yesterday afternoon, James Mutrie went to the office of the prosecuting attorney to discover whether a warrant had been issued for his arrest on the charge of attempting to dispose of mortgaged property. The conversation that followed disclosed a bold attempt on the part of two police officers and the father of the defendant in a law suit to defeat justice; Mutrie is the principal witness in the case of the state vs Riley Cooper charged with bigamy. Cooper's father went to Mutrie's house Wednesday afternoon in his absence and informed his wife that a warrant had been out for his and that his only hope of escaping imprisonment in the penitentiary was to leave the town at once and never return. Shortly after Cooper's departure two poicemen put in an appearance at the house on pretense of arresting Mutrie. When he returned home Mutrie's wife told him what had occurred and he set about investigating. The investigation resulted in the discovery that the whole affair was a scheme to get Mutrie out of the way of the pending trial. The prosecuting attorney has obtained a good description of the two police officers and further investigation on his part will likely result in Cooper and the police officers having to defend them-selves against the serious charge of interfering with the prosecution of the law.

Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, may be relied on to effect a cure wherever an ex ernal applicacion can be used. Price 25 cents, It is the old, old story! Love at first

A walk in the beautiful moonlight night; both catch a dreadful cold and give up all hope but finally find relief in a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, get married, and are at last happy!

A MURDERER HANGED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6. - John Theodore Wild, alias Greenwald, who was twice convincted in Kings county court of sessions for the murder of Lyman S. Weeks at hi residence on DeKalb avenue, was hanged at 7:25 o'clock His neck was broken organizations and he was pronounced dead in ten minutes. He went with firm step to the scaffold and kissed the crucifix, which Father O'Hara held to his lips as he stood under the gallows, and immediately thereafter Hangman Atkinson drew down the black

> Greenwald had declared that he was in necent. He wished this inscription put on his tombstone: "Murdered December 6, 1888." He made a will declaring his in-nocence and giving his effects to Mrs. Bingham, the female detective. John Theodore Wild was a poor tailor.

To improve his condition he became a burgiar in a desperate gang of New York crooks. On March 15, 1887, the gang encrooks. On March 15, 1887, the gang en-tered Mr. Weeks' house at midnight. Mrs. Weeks heard noises below. Her husband went down stairs to see about it, and through the speaking tube his wife heard a struggle. She looked out of the winow and saw a burglac run away. Weeks was found shot through the heart.

BEGGS' COUNSEL TALKS. CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 6 .- At the opening of

the Cronin trial this morning Mr. Hynes resumed his address to the jury

At the afternoon session Mr. Foster adfreezed the jury on behalf of John F. Beggs. After alluding to the importance of the case and the responsibilities which rested with them all, judge, jury and lawvers, Mr. Foster denounced the murder of Dr. Cronin as the most atrocions and cold blooded ever perpetrated, but warned them not to let an innocent man suffer for it.
Mr. Foster then went on to say that the
action of Beggs from the beginning of the
trial down to the present time had been an
open book to the jury. He had nothing to onceal and had concealed nothing, and he himself told Judge Longenecker of the ex-istence of the letters which passed between him and Spellman.

Mr. Foster had not concluded his ad-

dress when the court adjourned.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FUNERAL In response to the proclamation of Mayor Shakespeare, a number of representative citizens assembled in the mayor's parlor at the city hall this afternoon to arrang for the funeral. It was agreed that the

for the funeral. It was agreed that the body, which had been embalmed, be removed from the residence of Mr. Payne tonight to the city hall, where it will remain until Wednesday next in charge of a uniformed guard of honor, composed of members of the association of confederate veterans assisted by the military. This action is taken in order to enable citizens from every section of the south to attend the funeral. It is expected many military organization will attend in a body. Governor Nichols, of this state, having been notified of Mr. Davis' death, will issue a prociamation advising all business be suspended on Wednessiay next, the day of the funeral. Mr. Davis will be deposited temporarily in the vault of one of the association of confederate veterans. The meeting appointed an executive committee who will have control of the funeral.

THE NEWS AT VARIOUS CITIES. MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 6.-The news of Mr. Davis' death occasions profound sorrow here. Flags on the state houses and city hall are at half mast and stores are being draped in mourning. The fol-lowing telegram has been sent to Mrs.

"With profoundest sympathy and con-dolence in your great bereavement and in response to the united wishes of our people, we earnestly trust that you allow us to have the remains of Mr. Davis buried here under the confederate monument on Capitol hill, the corner stone of which when completed will be ornamented with a life size bronze statute of hum."

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This is signed by the president of the Confederate Veterans association, president of the Montgomery Veterans association, president of the Alabama Confederate Monument association, president of the Lagies' Memorial association, E. A. Graham, mayor of Montgomery, and Thos. S. Watts, attorney general of the Confederate States.

erate States.

The governor of the state is absent or his signature would have been attached. RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 6.—The legislature in joint session appointed a committee to prepare resolutions appropriate to the memory of Hon, Jefferson Davis, ex-presi-dent of the southern confederacy. The

dent of the southern confederacy. The flags on the state capital buildings have been placed at half mast.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 6.—The news of Jefferson Davis' death was received with marked manifestations of public sorrow and private grief. Flags are at half mast and the stars and stripes are displayed all over the city. The principal stores are draped in black. A movement is on foot to hold a memorial meeting on the day of his funeral under the auspices of the Confederate Survivors' association. The association met today to perfect the program. The mayor of the city will order all public The mayor of the city will order all public business to suspend on the day of the fun-eral and issue a proclamation requesting citizens generally to do honor to the dis-

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 6—The news of the death of ex-President Jefferson Davis was received in Augusta with profound regret by the entire people. Private and public buildings are being draped and flags are flying at half mast. The following tele-gram of condolence was sent to Mrs. this morning: "The members of the Confederate Survivors association of Augusta crave the privilege of assuring you at the earliest moment of their profoundest sym-pathy and heartfelt sorrow upon the death of your illustrious husband, our beloved chief and venerated president of the south-

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 6.—The news of the death of Jefferson Davis created profound sorrow among all classes. Flags on all state buildings are at half mast and the city belis are tohing. The general assembly now in session here adopted the following resolution, and immediately adfollowing resolution and immediately adjourned out of respect to the dead of the

senate concurring, that the general assembly has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. Jefferson Davis. In the death of Mr. Davis, the south has lost its most distinguished and the country one of most distinguished and the country one of the ablest and purest statesmen it has ever had, whose life, character and services should ever be held in honorable and loving remembrance by the people of the whole country, but especially by those of the south; that the president of the senate and speaker of the house be requested to communicate immediately with the family of Mrs. Davis their expression of protond source, and the same than a source and the same than a sour found sorrow and of the people of South Carolina; that in token of our respect the flags of the capitol and all other state respect gists. buildings be placed at half-mast during the present session of the general as-sembly."

death of Jefferson Davis' death was re-ceived with great sorrow in Atlanta. The

the death of ex-President Davis was re-ceived with genuine sorrow in Savannah. The flags on the city hall, college exchange, armories and newspaper offices were lowered to half mast and the city offices were closed by order of the mayor. RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 6.—Governor Fow-

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 6.—Governor Fow-ler today sent the following telegram: "To Mrs. Jefferson Davis.—North Carolina mourns with you the death of the greatest and best beloved sen of our land." He also issued this proclamation: "Whereas, Almighty God by his provi-dence, bath removed from this world the trusted leader of the people of the state of North Carolina, in the four darkest years of her history, and

Whereas, Our entire people regard his

memory with feelings of the highest re-spect and affection. Now, for the purpose of manifesting ap-preciation of his exalted character and dispreciation of his exasted character and dis-tinguished services, I enjoin upon the peo-ple of the state, laying aside all business, to assemble themselves at their respective places of worship at the time to be ap-pointed for the funeral by Mrs. Davis, and to join in services suitable to the sad occa-

nouncement of the death of Mr. Davis bells were tolled, flags put at half-imast, buildings were draped in emblems of mourning and a public meeting was called by the mayor for tonight.
WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 6.—The death

of ex-President Davis created profound sorrow here. The city halls, the rooms of the Cape Fear club and other buildings are draped in mourning. Flags are at half mast and other evidence of the people's grief are to be seen everywhere.
GREENVILLE, N. C., Dec. 6.—Bells are tolling as a mark of respect to the late Jeferson Davis. The Greenville Daily News a charge of perjury.

an camp of confederate veterans met this on and adopted resolutions in memory of ex-President Davis. Telegrams of sympathy were also sent to Mrs. Davis. LYNCHBURG, Va. Dec. 6.—News of the death of Jefferson Davis was received here

with universal regret.
ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 6.—The news of Jefferson Davis' death created a great sensa-tion here, and expressions of sorrow are universal. The whole city is in mourning. Fings are at half mast on the capitol Fings are at half mast on the capitol, city nall and chamber of commerce, and build-ings are being draped. Every business house will be draped by a committee hav-Mr. Heary ing the matter in charge. Mr. Henry Grady today telegraphed Mr. Farrar, a triend of the Davis family, asking if a feath mask could be taken, and an affirmative answer was received. The Constitution sent Orion Frazer, the sculptor, to New Orleans immediately. From this mask a statue of Davis will be made for the city of Atlanta. A fund for

etery is located on the site of the most famous battles around Atlanta.

Governor Gordon today telegraphed the governors of all the southern states, suggesting that the people of the several states meet at the hour appointed at the funeral of Mr. Davis and hold suitable Exercises. He approach that the people exercises. He suggests that the people unite in raising a fund for the family. Telegrams have been sent inquiring if the family would consent to a fund being raised, and if so it would be begun at once.

raised, and if so it would be begun at once. Mayor Glenn has ordered the city buildings draped for thirty days and the people to meet at 11 o'clock on the day of the funeral for suitable services.

COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 6.—Immediately on acceipt of the news of the death of Mr. Davis a call for a mass meeting of cittzens was issued by Mayor Pro Tem. Brennan, which was held at the public library this afternoon and was largely attended. A resolution was adopted providing for the suspension of business on the day of the funeral for memorial service in different dupension of business of the day of the funeral for memorial service in different churches and that the city be draped in mourning. During the meeting the bells were tolled. The confederate veterans met tonight and took suitable action.

MRS. HAYES EN ROUTE.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Dec. 6.-Mrs. H. M. D. Hayes, of Colorado Springs, daughter of Jefferson Davis, accompanied by her husband and little son, arrived here last night on the way to New Orleans, having been summoned by a telegram announcing been father's critical condition. The party her father's critical condition. Mrs. will be taken on a special train. Mrs. Hayes is almost prostrated by the news of her father's death.

ENGLISH COMMENT.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—All the evening papers have leaders on Jeff Davis. The Globe recalls Mr. Gladstone's eulogium including the famous phrases of the suicide. He is believed to have come from a good family, but was buried by the country. the famous phrase so much criticised at the time, "Jefferson Davis has created a nation," and adds that if he did not create

nation," and adds that if he did not create a nation it was because such a creation was clearly not possible in the conditions. "The enterprise failed" it concludes, "Be cause success in the conditions was not only difficult, but impossible."

The St. James Gazette doubts whether Davis will take a historical position as one of the world's great men. The St. James Gazette draws a striking contrast between Davis and some of his famous contemporaries and says: "As Davis departs from the scene of human activities it is doubtful if a single person outside the is doubtful if a single person outside the immediate circle of his relatives is affected by a thrill of emotion."

STILL ROLLING IN-

Subscriptions for Relief to the Families BOULANGER ENGAGED TO LECTURE. of the Fire Victima

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 6 .- Further subscriptions to the relief sund for the families at Minneapolis have been received as follows:

New York Tribuns, \$100. New Commerciant Commercia New York Tribune, \$100; New Commercial Advertiser, \$100; New York World \$100; New York Staats Zietung, \$100; Chi \$100; New York Staats Zietung, \$100; Chicago Tribune, \$100; Chicago News, \$100; Chicago Journal, \$50; Chicago Inter Ocean, \$50; Chicago Herald, \$25; Chicago Times, \$25; Philadelphia Times, \$25; Kingstoh, N. Y., Freeman, \$30; Indianapolis Sentinel, \$10; Indianapolis Journal, \$20; East Sucanaw Mico. Courier-Herald apois Seatinel, \$10; Indianapolis Journal, \$30; East Saganaw, Mien., Courier-Herald, \$10; Binghampton, N. Y., Leader, \$25; Lar; quette Mining Journal, \$10; Milwaukee Journal, \$20; ierre Haute Express, \$10, Waco, Tex., Day, \$20; Baltimore American, \$50; Davenport Democrat-Gazette, \$10, Nashville Banner, \$20; Memphis Avalanche, \$20; and Milwaukee Press club \$50.

STATEHOOD FOR IDAHO.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—There is very lit-tle doubt in the minds of the leading Reoublicans in the senate and the house that at least one new state will be made during the present session of congress. Idaho territory is to come into the union. It is also probable that Wyoming territory will be admitted to statehood. Chairman Platt of the senate committee on territories, says he is in favor of admitting Idaho territory promptly, and that he is ready to make a favorable report upon a bill to that end as soon as it reaches his committee. The three of four members of the tee. The three or four members of the house who are in line for the chairmanship of the committee for territories are acting in favor of statehood for Idaho. Delegate Fred Dubois secured favorable action dur-ing the last congress to admit Idaho to statehood, and he has been hard at work

The germs of scrofula are destroyed by | up Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Sold by all drug of the subdivisions will not eat or in-

BANK ROBBERS CAPTURED.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Dec. 6.-The subject of conversation today has been the arrest ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 6.-The news of the of Lee Riley and Charles Wofford for the robbery of the Farmers and Merchants National bank, \$5,000 in silver being obstate house fleg is at half-mast and a meeting of citizens will be held tonight to talk of closing the business houses on the day of the funeral. A movement has aiready been started to raise a fund to erect the silver had been hidden. Riley stripactions having been sent to the Constitution for that nurses. tution for that purpose.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 6.—The news of the surface the sack tore and the silver the death of ex-President Davis was researched with penuing sorrow in Savannah. 25 per cent of all they brought up, and some \$400 was secured in this manner. To-night another box of silver was found and this makes all the money accounted for. Wofford is in jail and Riley is still under

"To guard. THE LEEDOM INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.-The special committee charged with investigating the accounts of the sergeant-at-arms met in the om of the house committee on public lands at 10:30 this morning. After formally organizing the committee went into secret session in order to map out the plan of proceedure. At the end of half an hour word was sent to Mr. Leedom that

hour word was sent to Mr. Leedom that the committee desired his presence.

Mr. Leedom, accompanied by ex-Congressman Phil Thompson, whom he has retained as council responded to the summons, but Mr. Thompson was denied admission. Mr. Leedom has made another searching examination of the books of his office and places the amount of the defalcation at \$17.500. tion at \$71,800.

ASHEVILLE, S. C., Dec. 6.—On the an- TLE BERWYN SUSPECTS RELEASED. GAINESVILLE, Tex., Dec. 6 -Six of the men arrested last week at Ardmore, charged with the train robbery near Ber-wyn have been released by United States Commissioner Hooker at Purcell, having Commissioner Hooker at Purcell, having satisfactorily proven an ailoi. The examination is not yet concluded, but it is believed all will be released. The released are: West Norris, John Hughes, Theodore Campbell, John Patterson, W. H. Rollins, and Joe Farmer, alias "Iron-Galled Kid," "Black Nell," one of the women arrested at the time has been detained on a charge of perjury.

> Every glorious act of a great life farward an eloquent fact. Dr. Bull Cough Syrup is the glorious act of a life study, and it is a positive fact that a stands without a rival. "Hope for a season bids the world fare well," when a man finds himself in the relentless grasp of neuralgia, but he smiles

and takes heart when his wife brings a bottle of Salvation Cil. EMIN'S CONDITION IMPROVED. ZANZIBAR, Dec. 6.-The condition Emin Pasha si slightly improved today.

He, however, in addition to the injuries to his head, received severe internal injuries when he fell. BERLIN, Dec. 6 .- The news of the acci-"Well, then, it rains. You know it rains. Everybody in town knows it rains. Now, dent at Bagomoyo to Emin Pasha has caused a sensation in this city. Emperor William was deeply pained when informed of the accident, and he immediately sent a dispatch to Zanzibar asking that daily re-ports as to the condition of Emin be sent

this purpose has already been started.

Attanta wants the body buried here and a number of telegrams to that effect have been sent to the family. West View cemily arrived here today. STANLEY AT ZANZIBAR. ZANZIBAR, Dec. 6.-Mr. Henry M. A MARVEL TO MRS. KENDAL

THE OFFER DECLINED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—A special to the Times from Tablequah, I. T., says the

senate of the Cherokee council today adopted the report of the committee on the

public domain which recommended that the offer of Williamson, Blair & Co., of

Independence, to lease its outlet be de-

WILL TEST THE LAW.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.-A meeting of the grain elevator men of this city will be held tomorrow to select one from their

number who shall stand suit to be brought

SUICIDE CAUSED BY LOVE.

THE LEAGUE'S PLANS

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 6.-The Sporting

News today publishes a statement to the

effect that if the brotherhood and associa

tion do not consolidate the league will

A LEGAL EXECUTION.

GADESDEN, Ala., Dec. 6.—Charlie John-on alias Wade Holmes, the negro who

killed Policeman Kinney in Gadesden in

November, 1888, was hanged inside the jail at 10:30 a. m. today.

LONDON, Dec. 6.-The Star states that it

CASTE IN INDIA

Degrees of Sanctity and Grades of Rank

Among Brahmans. All Brahmans are not priests, but

all priests are Brahmans. This caste

claims the most exalted attributes, and

according to the Manu scripture is

superior to law, even to moral law,

when it interferes with his interests

A Brahman may not live as a hired

servant, but he may take the property

of a Sudra. A proper gift to a Brah-man on a deathbed will, it is said, se-

miration, if not veneration, by the

other castes. In theory, at any rate,

he retains his supremacy; and there are parts of India still where low caste

people account it an honor to take the

dust off the feet of a Brahman and to

place it on their heads, and even to drink the water in which the feet of

But there are degrees of sanctity and grades of rank even among the

twenty-five septs of this privileged

caste. The Brahmans of Mysore, for

on the Brahmans of Benares. Some

subdivisions; and others again, nota-

bly in Calcutta, quite openly violate the laws of their order. For instance,

they are forbidden in the sacred writ-

shoes made of cowhide, or sit down to

table with men of inferior caste, or of

Yet many eminent Brahman gentle-

men in the cities now do all these

things without losing, as they would

once have done, their place in Hindoo

society. Then, again, in the old days,

young men who went to visit foreign

countries and ventured into England

had to subject themselves to severe

penance before they could be rein-

stated in their caste; but now, in most

of the Brahman septs, a Hindoo

may do pretty much as he pleases

short of receiving Christian baptism.

Of course that ostracizes him at once.

are not priests, and also that, accord-

ing to the laws of Manu, no Brab-

man can be a hired servant. Vet as

a matter of fact, they are to be found

occupying positions as clerks, school

masters, physicians, engineers, shop

keepers, etc. But while the caste

wall has thus far been broken down,

there is less intermarriage between

the castes than there was in the days

of Manu. The reason is that then the

punishment fell upon the children, but

now it falls on the offenders them-

there were about 100 different castes

According to the census of 1881

unter an acquaintance who was also shel-

"I'd like to see you a moment," was the re

Do you take me for an infernal kilot?"

around to keep the sun off at this time of

"I'm carrying it to keep off the rain, am I

"Tnat's all. You let it rain. She knows

her business. You just attend to your own affairs and let the weather alone. Good day,

he other to follow at his lessure. - Detroit

n go on and let people alone."

"Why, no, of course not,"
"Do you suppose I'm carrying an umbrella

"Raining, isn't it!" queried the first,

selves.

tered by an umbraila.

"Raining, isn't it?"

on No. 1 with:

"Come up stairs."

We have said that all Brahmans

no caste at all, like Europeans.

to eat beef, drink wine, wear

the twice born have been washed.

favor on the donor.

gotiations for a large mining property in this county, the coal mines, nine in number, on the line of the Hannibal & St. THE VERSATILITY OF AMERICAN WOMEN A SURPRISE TO HER. Joe railroad, in Macon county. Possession will be given to the purchasers on January 1, 1830. The price paid was \$2,-

A Normal College's Eighteen H Girls Impressed Her Very Strongly-Her Ideas on the Subject of Matrix Gallant Act of Prince Leopold.

Mrs Kendal sat at a little tete-a-tete tab Mrs. Kendal sat at a little tetra-tet table in her rose perfumed parlor contemplating a rack of dry toast and a steaming service of English breakfast tea. A rosebud blushed in beauty at her throat, and the thread-like ring of gold on her wedding finger was he only jewel. It was a bare, prim, lofty hotel parlor, with never a picture or a cushion or "the resthetic trace of individuality" about it, but there was a fire on the hearth and a woman in front of it with far-away, wistful bine in front of it, with far-away, wistful blue eyes, dreaming among the glowing coals, and together they made the room asweet, restful,

by the attorney general of the state to test the constitutionality of the state grain in-spection law which went into effect on November 1 last. None of the elevator men have qualified under the law and the accrued fines against them now amount to over \$100,000. "And you come from a newspaper. It surprises me—the versatility of the American woman. I have seen many wonderful things since I came to New York, but nothing that interests me so much as the woman qu which the American girl is solving for th SWEETWATER, Tex., Dec. 6.—August Bodesson, a young Frenchman, 35 years old, was found in an out house here this

"I don't think the American people realiz the worth, the ability, the power or the possibilities of their sisters and daughters. It is to me, a conservative English women, a

"Yes, I went to visit the Normal college,

Thursday. I went to gratify a little friend, the daughter of President Hunter, and that is how I became so interested in the question. There were 1,800 young women in the audience assembled for me—for me, think of it! I never had seen so much of my sex at one take possession of the remaining clubs of the American association. The pian is to transfer Indianapolis to New York, the St. Louis Browns to Chicago, the Columbus and Louisvilles to Boston. time, and I cannot tell how strongly I was impressed. Such a throng of youth, beauty, vigor and enthusiasm! I didn't know what to say or how to conduct myself—rather suppress myself—and before I realized my position, Mr. Hunter had presented me to the college, and in the most gracious way pre-

has information from a reliable source, that Gen. Boulanger has been engaged to the movement in a clock. In the march there was the light step, the easy grace, the plain." He haughed again. "Some time ago proud carriage and that air of certainty, so curity and conscious satisfaction that I have be beautiful. I was infatuated with her, and never seen outside of the military. And then the charm of personality! Youth in itself is beauty, but there was more than beauty. Showered my money upon her. My fortune was soon spent, and then my wife informed is beauty, but there was more than beauty. There was intelligence, intellect and a tangibility of culture and refinement that I never expected to find outside of an exclu-

sive society.
"At a word 1,800 seats flapped and 1,800 girls dropped into them. It was instantaneous. One, two! And it was over. I was dumfounded and with just that instantaneity of action every part of the programme was

"Mr. Hunter asked the girls if they wished cure heaven to a malefactor, and the me to address them and the one round, full Brahman who receives a present from volume of tone put into the laconic 'yes' was a member of another caste confers a simply indescribable. It was like a wave of and and it filled my very soul with its intensity. It was a request, an appeal, an in-vitation and a hand clasp all in three letters. "Oh, yes, I did ask Mr. Hunter where the The exaggerated honors originally allowed to the Brahmans are no longer allowed, except among the lowest orders; yet the Brahman still retains a sort of sacred character and is regarded with ad-,800 husbands were to come from. I meant it, for 1,800 men worthy of those young women should be more than average men.

THOUGHTS ON MATRIMONY. "No, I do not hold to the opinion that wo man's only sphere is in marriage. The oak and the ivy theory has disappeared in the modern science of landscape gardening. I believe firmly in the holy and wholesome bendage of matrimony, but not in matri-mony as a traffic. There is a place, a big place, in the world for the single woman, and as water seeks the level of its source, so she

will find and fill the place for which she is fitted if given a chance to develop." Mrs. Kendai would not discuss the causes select Brahmans, for there are some of marital infelicity, but thought there was more stability, more contentment and a more restful degree of happiness in the home life instance, look down with contempt prevailed in this country.

"The American women are very bright termarry with the members of other Their resources are wenderful, but their famour firesides are correspondingly brighter.
"I am intolerant of the woman who layishes her love on a lapdog. We women have dogs, kennels, and packs of them. them with our bables, but not for them. "I have been amused reading the column in The Evening World devoted to the best

methods of keeping husbands at home." "What would you suggest?" 'Feed the beasts.

While we were talking, a messenger came in with a packet from a Normal coll staining a pretty little gold pin and a carefully penned quotation, with much love, from Shakespeare, and before she had finished admiring it, a huge bouquet of pink roses from another girl lover was received.

"Now isn't it sweet of them! The dear, dear children! and not a clew to their names or identity. I have had just this sort of at tention ever since I came to New York.

"Jewels! I have handfuls, but no diamone neckiace from her majesty. The queen's brooch is the royal crown in diamonds, a gift never bestowed on any rank lower than ar ambassadress. Then I have rings and pine and pendants from various members of the royal family, but the jewel I must value is a diamond horseshoe given me by Prince Leo-pold, the late Duke of Albany. I met him at a drawing room, and passing through a hall way my dress caught on a cactus plant, and before I could get it disentangled the gaury stuff was badly torn. The young prince came to my aid, matched the jewel that a cured a decoration to his shoulder, and pigned up the torn breadth in my train."-Neil Neicon in New York Evening World.

A Very Valuable Book

We see items sometimes about the value of rare books in the hands of bibliomaniacs or in Bengal alone. In all India there were 10,546,735 Brahmans, 5,788,735 Rajputs (or Kshatriyas) and 128,540,380 of the at auction sales, but there is now in San Francisco a volume than which there are few miscellaneous and mixed castes.more valuable in the world. It is worth exactly \$50,000-not as facey price, either. Thirty thousand dollars is its actual cash value. It is the register of the whereabouts Yesterday afternoon while the rain was pouring down a citizen left the postofice to and identity of 3,000 Chinese corpses in the city cemetery, all of which will have to be dug up and returned to China in dus time, while a disinterment permit costs \$10. The ex-superintendent of the countery Res the book and says that he made it, and that, there fore, it is his own private property. The health officer thinks it belongs to the car. We shink so, toz, for it is clearly the duty of The two passed up, traversed the dark hall the superintendent of the ownetery to keep a its darkest corner, and then No. 2 turned or list of the graves and their con tents. We hope that prompt action will be taken to prevent the destruction or disappearance of the book pending legal settlers of its ownership.—San Francisco Report.

Wonders of the Human Beart.

The workings of the human heart leve be computed by a celebrated physiologist, and he has demonstrated that it is equal to the lifting of 130 tone in 24 hours. Freezing that the blood is thrown cut of the least at each pulsation in the proportion of 69 strokes per minute, and at the assumed force of 9 feet, the mileage of the blood torough she body might be taken at 207 yards per 7 miles per hour, 105 miles per day, 61,250 miles per year, or 5,150,850 miles in a life time of 84 years. The number of beats of And he went clumping down stairs and left 

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His Revenge Came.

college, and in the most gracious way prepared the expectant pupils for an address.

"There was nothing for me to do but rise and—I had never made a speech in my life—talk to the girls. And that's what I did, I can't tell you what I said. I only know how I felt and I also know that I made my listeners feel the honesty and sincerity of my admiration for them.

"Oh, I noticed everything—the precision, the order, the almost military alacrity of the scholars. The action of the school was like the movement in a clock. In the march

"I mean exactly what I say: but I will ex-

me, and I secured a diverce. Shortly after-ward one of her relatives died and left her an immense sum of money. I was in need, actually without food, and I wrote to her, reminded her of my liberality and begged her to lend me a thousand dollars.

He paused, laughed again, and then con "She answered the latter, upbraided what

she termed my shameless presumption, and declared that she could not afford to waste money on a man who was nothing to her. He took the newspaper from his pocket, lay back in his chair and laughed softly. "And what then?" some one asked, "Oh, nothing then, but revenge new. She is to be punished for her soulless crucity to

What, has she been arrested? "Oh, no; how could they arrest her?"
"But how is she to be punished?"

"In a way that fills me with joy. This blessed newspaper informs me that she has married an Italian prince."-Arkansaw Trav In the Tyrant's Power.

Young Mr. Green-Really, my dear, you must get rid of that cook of ours. The dia ner is particularly dreadful! Young Mrs. Green-I don't dare to, Rich ard. I must give her a week's notice, you

know, and there is no telling what she migh do in that time!—Munsey's Weekly.

A Box of Safety Matches Free With

Not Worth While "If you have a few moments to spare," sait

the victor, "I should like to call your atter tion to the superior inducements our com "I am a little near-lighted, my friend," replied the man citting at the deak. please read what this paper says under the heading of 'Squallop, the Played Out Dema

Certainly, etc. It says: 'The most grati fying result of the election last Tuesday I that it retires forever from the public gaze that pestiferous and blatant humbug, Jeremial Squallop, whose mean little soul, contempti ble and repulsive carcass, and leprous politi cal influence (6) have made him an evenore is the community that has tolerated him w long. Farewell, Squallop! If you were no so pitifully insignificant, Squallop, we should rejoice for menths to come because of your defeat; but in less than two days you will have been forgotten, and decent people will walk over your political grave without re-membering that there ever was a thing in the shape of a man bearing the miserable name

"Yes," said the man at the deek, looking up That's the way I read it. It won't be worth life. It isn't worth insuring. I'm Squallop. -Chicago Tribune.

How He Paid the Hill.

Some years ago, when Judge H. G. Hiele was not as prosperous as he has been in later years, he owed a little bill of \$25 to a well known firm, and one of the members came to see him about it. The judge, then a plate colonel, lately returned from the war, ly conferred that he was "busted" and asked for an extension of time.
"Can't do it," said the gentleman; "if you

don't pay it we'll have to sue you."

"How can I pay when I haven't got the money?" saked the colonel. "All I want is a

"Well, we'll have to bring suit," said the gentleman, as he started off.
"Hold on," said the colonel, as a brigh idea struck him; "if you must sue me, why not give me the case! You will have to est

ploy some lawyer."
"That's so," said the gentleman; "all right bring the suit."

Col. Hicks brought the suit, confessed judg

ment, sent in his bill for \$50 attorner's fee collected it, then settled the judgment. From that time on he had all the firm's law busi pen - Minneapolis Tribune.

Talk about about misde "Talk about about this area and a citizen today; "why, when I was a boy I worked for a man who was so about minded that he discharged me three times in one work and paid me a work's wages each work and paid me a work's wages each

